



SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

Clarendon 1 School District
 Grades: PK-12 Enrollment: 932
 Superintendent: Dr. Rose H. Wilder
 Board Chair: Ms. Wanda Thomas

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD	AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	
2011	Good	Average	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	Good	N/A	Not Met	NI-HOLD
2009	Below Average	At-Risk	N/A	Not Met	NI

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	3	6	3	8

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/09/2011. Districts with Students Like Ours are Districts with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this district.

PASS

PASS	2011 Reading	2011 Math	2011 Science	2011 Social Studies	2011 Writing
	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above
District	64.7%	67.2%	55.7%	68.0%	76.9%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	57.8%	54.2%	46.8%	53.2%	59.6%
Average District	74.3%	73.6%	69.0%	73.0%	73.1%

PASS	2011 Reading	2011 Math	2011 Science	2011 Social Studies	2011 Writing
	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary
District	26.9%	20.6%	9.3%	22.8%	26.0%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	22.2%	16.1%	8.0%	14.1%	18.8%
Average District	40.4%	35.5%	23.3%	33.3%	33.7%

HSAP

HSAP: 2nd Year Students	Passed 2 Subtests (%)	Passed 1 Subtest (%)	Passed No Subtests (%)
District	62.3%	16.4%	21.3%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	65.8%	18.3%	15.9%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2011 (%)

District	85.3%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	85.9%

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

District	67.5%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	44.1%

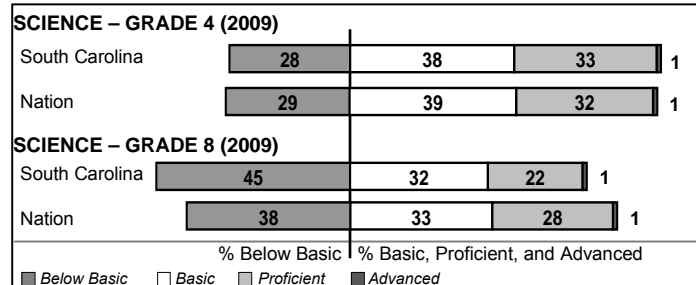
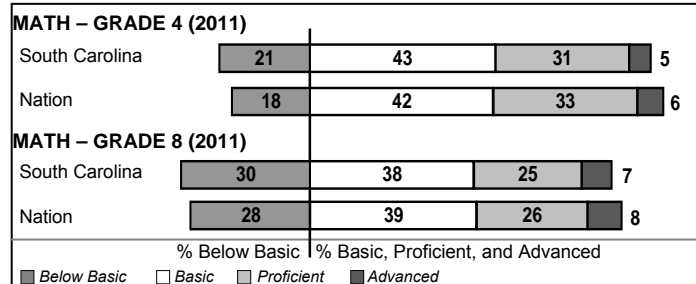
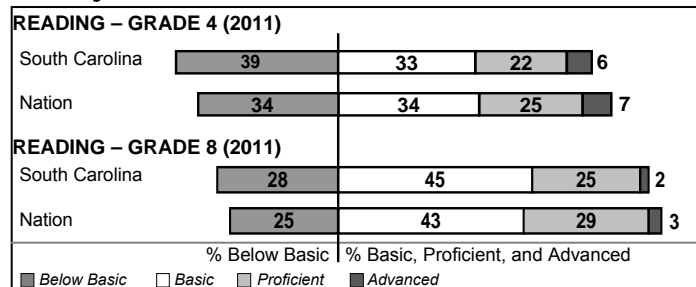
On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

District	82.9%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	72.8%

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NAEP*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

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DISTRICT PROFILE

	Our District	Change from Last Year	Districts with Students Like Ours	Median District
Students (n=932)				
Retention rate	2.5%	Up from 1.2%	3.0%	2.3%
Attendance rate	95.6%	Down from 97.6%	95.9%	95.8%
Served by gifted and talented program	9.8%	Up from 7.6%	6.9%	14.0%
With disabilities other than speech	8.7%	Down from 10.9%	7.6%	7.4%
Older than usual for grade	2.4%	Down from 4.9%	4.1%	3.0%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.5%	Down from 0.9%	0.5%	0.5%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	0.0%	No Change	3.8%	12.2%
Successful on AP/IB exams	N/A	N/A	17.8%	52.9%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	33.8%	Up from 26.4%	26.6%	30.3%
Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs	14	Up from 1	42	66
Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs	8	Up from 1	22	35
Annual dropout rate	1.4%	Up from 1.3%	2.1%	2.8%
Teachers (n=55)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	63.6%	Up from 54.1%	59.8%	61.2%
Continuing contract teachers	65.5%	Up from 57.4%	77.6%	85.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	82.3%	Up from 75.2%	84.2%	90.3%
Teacher attendance rate	97.5%	Up from 96.2%	94.4%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$41,270	Down 1.4%	\$43,073	\$46,166
Vacancies for more than nine weeks	0.0%	Down from 1.6%	0.8%	0.0%
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	11.1%	Up from 6.8%	6.9%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	13.5 days	Down from 14.7 days	12.7 days	12.2 days
District				
Superintendent's years at district	7.0	Up from 6.0	1.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	19.5 to 1	Down from 20.3 to 1	19.4 to 1	21.7 to 1
Prime instructional time	91.5%	Down from 92.3%	89.2%	90.1%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$12,241	Down 3.2%	\$11,132	\$9,140
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	46.5%	Up from 42.5%	47.9%	53.5%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	50.8%	Up from 45.3%	51.3%	56.5%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Good	Excellent
Number of schools	4	No Change	4	9
Portable classrooms	0.0%	Down from 3.4%	2.0%	1.4%
Number of schools with SACS accreditation	4.0	No Change	4.0	8.0
Parents attending conferences	96.7%	Down from 99.3%	93.7%	96.6%
Average administrator salary	\$83,036	Up 8.5%	\$73,211	\$78,000
Number of charter schools	0	No Change	0	0
% of AYP objectives met	82.4%		73.7%	93.1%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES STUDENT PERFORMANCE

	PASS	HSAP	End-of-Course Tests
Passage Rate	N/A	N/A	N/A

CHARTER SCHOOLS IN DISTRICT

School Name	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating	Adequate Yearly Progress
There are no charter schools in this district.			

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

Our main focus during the 2010-2011 school year was building capacity throughout the district. We are very proud of the fact that three of our four schools met Adequate Yearly Progress. Our middle school is no longer a Palmetto Priority School. The Early Childhood Center is seeking national accreditation and St. Paul Elementary School is part of a pilot program to become a demonstration site for reading. Scott's Branch High School continues to excel in academics and athletics. We have a tenth grade student that scored 27 out of a possible score of 35 on the ACT. We will also maintain our focus on providing a quality education for all students. Many of our students continue the tradition of winning local, state and regional contests in various disciplines. This is the first year several students received full scholarships for their artistic ability. We accomplished our goal of building a new elementary school. The school is approximately 97% completed. The Scott's Branch High School Alumni Association launched a capital fundraising campaign to purchase furniture for the new school. This has been a community effort lead by the alumni association.

The grade configuration for St. Paul Elementary School (SPES) will change for the 2011-2012 school year. SPES will serve students in grades third through sixth. The sixth grade was previously a part of the middle school structure. Scott's Branch Middle School grades seventh-eighth will be on the Scott's Branch High School Campus, but separate from the high school structure. In summary, we will continue our quest for excellence. Dr. Rose H. Wilder, Superintendent
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